

REMARKS

Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the application in view of the foregoing claim amendments and the following remarks.

I. Status of the Claims

Claims 3, 4, and 5 have been amended; the amendments do not add new matter.

New claims 6-11 have been added. No new matter has been added.

Claims 1-11 are thus pending.

II. Restriction Requirement Election

The Examiner has required restriction between the following two groups:

Group I: Claims 1-2, drawn to a process; or

Group II: Claims 3-5, drawn to a product.

In response, Applicants provisionally elect **Group II**, claims 3-5, drawn to a product; **with traverse**.

Further, Applicants submit that new claims 6-11 fall within the scope of Group II, at least because they depend from claim 3. Thus, Applicants elect **claims 3-11** for prosecution.

The restriction is traversed where as once claims 3-11 are found allowable, Applicants request rejoinder of claims 1 and 2 which are directed to the process of making the product of claims 3-11.

CONCLUSION

In view of the above remarks, withdrawal of this Restriction Requirement is respectfully requested.

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